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Replacement of Two Preoccupied Generic Names of *Blattidae* (Orthoptera).

Dr. B. P. Uvarov, of the British Museum (Natural History) has kindly called my attention to the fact that several generic names of cockroaches, proposed by me in past years, are preoccupied. In consequence I am here suggesting substitute names which will have the same genotypes as those which they replace.

The name *PLATYLESTES* Hebard, 1919 (*Trans. Amer. Entom. Soc.*, XLV, p 97), but not of Selys, 1862 (*Bull. Acad. Roy. Sci., Bruxelles*, (2) XIII, p. 337), I would replace with *Eurylestes*.

For *PLUMIGER* Hebard, 1929 (*Proc. Acad. Nat. Sci., Phila.*, LXXXI, p. 22), but not of Horvath, 1926 (*Ann. Hist.-Nat. Mus. Nat. Hungar.*, XXIII, p. 196), I would substitute *Aristiger*.

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The Distribution of *Reduviidae* (Hemiptera) in Oklahoma.

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The *Reduviidae* are mostly predacious on other insects, but several species are known to be hematophagous; among these are some which are intermediate hosts of certain pathogenic parasites and have attracted a great deal of attention. Many excellent papers have been published in connection with the

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experimental transmission of trypanosomiasis or Chagas's disease, but most of the literature deals with the taxonomy of the group. A few papers deal with the facultative blood-sucking of this group, citing many authentic cases.

The purpose of this paper is to make known the distribution of the family in Oklahoma. It is true that many of these species are of no pathogenic significance, but seven of the included species are listed by Herms as "likely to be of medical importance." Included in the list of references, are papers which contain descriptions and keys to the species mentioned.

The specimens from which these records have been obtained, are in the entomological museum of Oklahoma A. and M. College, and the identifications were made by Dr. H. M. Harris of Iowa State College.

↓ *ONCEROTRACHELUS ACUMINATUS* (Say)—Stillwater 3.16.30.

↓ *PYGOLAMPIS PECTORALIS* (Say)—Noble County 6.28.26.

↓ *STENOPODA CINEREA* Lal.—Ada 7.16.37, Page 6.23.37, Pawnee 6.17.37, Elmer 7.6.37, Stillwater 7.8.34, Strang 6.18.39, Broken Bow 6.19.34, Fairfax 7.31.32, Ardmore 6.8.39, Westville 6.15.39.

↓ *NARVESUS CAROLINENSIS* Stal.—Stillwater 7.8.30, 6.4.34, 6.21.34, Flint—6.19.37, Grove 6.17.37, Page 6.23.37, Muse 6.25.37, Sayre 6.8.37, Lebanon 7.2.37, Grant 7.1.37, Broken Bow 6.13.39, Summerfield 6.14.39, Ardmore, 6.8.39, Claremore 6.20.39, Wyandotte 6.19.39.

REDUVIUS PERSONATUS (Linn.)—Cleo Springs 6.5.37, Taloga 6.6.37, Stillwater 7.3.39.

TRIATOMA SANGUISUGA (LeConte)—Stillwater 5.20.32, 4.6.34, Pearson 7.23.37, Osage County 8.4.35, Locust Grove 5.5.34, Henryetta 7.25.39.

↓ *MELANOESTES PICIPES* (H. S.)—Lebanon 7.2.37, Oswalt 7.3.37, Cheyenne 6.7.37, Sallisaw 2.28.30, Jay 7.2.31, Medford 8.29.31, Alva 8.4.33, Perkins 3.31.32, Watts 6.16.39, Wyandotte 6.19.39, Summerfield 6.14.39, many from Stillwater.

M. ABDOMINALIS (H. S.)—Sallisaw 2.28.30, Idabel 7.12.30, Kiowa Co. 9.15.38, Hugo 7.6.38, many from Stillwater.

RASAHHUS HAMATUS (Fabr.)—Wilburton 6.12.34, Claremore 6.20.39, Westville 6.15.39, Watts 6.16.39.

SIRTHENEA CARINATA (Fabr.)—Perkins 5.8.32, Sallisaw 7. .31, Hinton 6.13.37, Summerfield 6.14.39, Stillwater 5.25.38.

✓ *RHIGINA CRUCIATA* (Say)—Stillwater, nothing further given.

APIOMERUS CRASSIPES (Fabr.)—Lincoln County 7.9.31, Creek County 7.28.32, Okmulgee County 6.19.31, Stillwater 6.17.31, Herd 7.21.31, Pawnee 7.13.32, Centralia 6.27.31, Fairfax 7.30.32, Holdenville 7.17.37, Dewey 7.17.31, Bluejacket 6.19.31, Jay 7.8.31, Bryant 6.13.34, Quinton 6.10.34, Hugo 6.20.34, Cushing 7.3.32.

APIOMERUS SPISSIPES (Say) —Kenton 6.23.33, Stillwater 7.1.32, 9.18.31, 7.29.32, McCurtain County 7.8.32, Creek County 7.27.32, Jackson County 6.17.34, Cherokee 6.4.37, Hinton 6.13.37, Lugert 6.11.37, Clinton 6.4.39.

ZELUS CERICALIS Stal.—Nashoba 6.14.34, Quinton 6.10.34, Hugo 6.20.34.

✓ *Z. EXSANGUIS* Stal.—Fairfax 8.4.32, Davis 4.30.32, Cherokee 8.5.32, Roger Mills County 8.16.33, Watts 6.16.39, Stillwater 5.25.32, Sulphur 7.14.37, Bluejacket 6.19.31, Craterville 7.6.34, Wichita Nat'l Forest 7.8.34.

Z. SOCIUS Nbl.—Stillwater 7.7.34, Bryant 7.24.34, Cherokee 8.25.32, Eufaula 10.31.34, Craterville 7.6.34, Idabel 8.13.37.

✓ *PSELLIOPUS CINCTUS* (Fabr.)—Smithville 8.19.31, Stillwater 9.22.33, Wilburton 6.13.34, Sallisaw 6.8.34, Flint 6.6.34, Grove 6.5.34, Stillwater 9.12.33.

✓ *Ps. BARBERI* Davis—Stillwater 4.1.32, 4.11.32, 3.13.33, Wyandotte 6.9.31, Grove 6.5.34, Davis 4.30.26, Sallisaw 2.28.29, Watts 6.16.39.

FITCHIA APTERA Stal.—Wilson 12.1.27, Stillwater 3.1.34, 12.14.24, 3.18.31, 2.23.32, 3.11.33, 2.26.32.

✓ *ARILUS CRISTATUS* (Linn.)—Has been collected in every county.

✓ *SINEA DIADEMA* (Fabr.)—Kenton 6.30.33, Fairfax 7.29.32, Optima 7.18.33, Alva 8.7.33, Pawnee 7.20.32, Cherokee 8.13.32, Grand 8.4.33, Stillwater 9.23.23, 9.24.30, 9.20.26, 9.16.31, 6.16.35, Oklahoma County 10.11.30, Laverne 8.4.33, Perkins 10.27.34, Fork 8.8.32, Henryetta 6.8.34, Eufaula 10.29.34, Wyandotte 6.4.34, Cushing 6.9.32, Osage County 8.3.32, Idabel 8.13.37, Noble 8.4.32, Bluejacket 6.20.31.

✓ *S. SPINIPES* (H. S.)—Cleveland County 10.3.30; Fairfax 7.30.32, 8.1.32, Oklahoma County 10.4.30, Sallisaw 7.9.31, Pawnee 7.13.32, McIntosh County 6.18.33, Eagletown 6.28.37,

Hictchita 7.17.34, Noble County 7.31.32, Locust Grove 5.5.34, Bluejacket 6.19.31, Broken Bow 6.17.34, Ford 8.4.32, Stillwater, 8.4.26, 9.14.32.

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Current Entomological Literature

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Under the above head it is intended to note papers received at the Academy of Natural Sciences of Philadelphia pertaining to the Entomology of the Americas (North and South), including Arachnida and Myriopoda. Articles irrelevant to American entomology will not be noted; but contributions to anatomy, physiology and embryology of insects, however, whether relating to American or exotic species will be recorded.

This list gives references of the current or preceding year unless otherwise noted. All continued papers, with few exceptions, are recorded only at their first installment.

For records of Economic Literature, see the Experiment Station Record, Office of Experiment Stations, Washington. Also Review of Applied Entomology, Series A, London. For records of papers on Medical Entomology, see Review of Applied Entomology, Series B.

Note. References to papers containing new forms or names not so stated in titles are followed by (*); if containing keys are followed by (k); papers pertaining exclusively to neotropical species, and not so indicated in the title, have the symbol (S) at the end of the title of the paper.

The figures within brackets [] refer to the journal in which the paper